

REMARKS

The examiner is thanked for thoroughly reviewing the subject patent application. All claims are now believed to be in allowable condition.

Reconsideration of the rejection of Claims 1-3, 6-13, 16-23 and 26-31 under 35 U.S.C.112, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter that applicant regards as the invention is requested, based on the following argument.

Claims 1, 11 and 21 have been amended to remove the objections pointed out by the Examiner. Dependant Claims 2-3, 6-10, 12,13, 16-20, 22, 23 and 26-31, which were rejected because they depend on Claims 1, 11 and 21, are acceptable since Claims 1, 11 and 21 are acceptable.

In summary, all claims are now believed to be in allowable condition and reconsideration of the rejections and allowance is therefore respectfully requested.

It is requested that should there be any problems with this Amendment, please call the undersigned attorney at (845) 452-5863.

Respectfully submitted,

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